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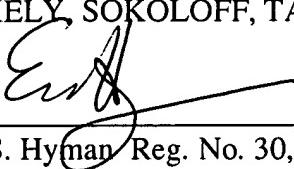
Claims 1-14 are pending in the present application. Applicants elects claims 7-14 of Group II for prosecution. Applicants request withdrawal of claims 1-6 from consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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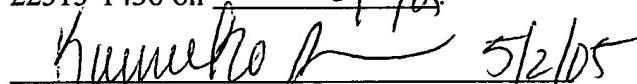
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